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WIND UP OF OUR REDUCTION SALE

September the Fourth Is the Last Day
KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE PRICES

ODDS IN CLOTHING TO CLOSE OUT

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Coat & Pants \$2.50
2.50 " 3.00 Odd Coats 1.00
\$3.50 Linen Suits 1.50

Big Stock of Suits and Pants at Cut Prices

\$12.50 and \$14.00 Suits for \$8.50
10.00 " " " 6.75
5.00 and 6.00 " " 3.75

\$5.00 Pants for \$3.50
3.50 and \$4.00 " " 2.75
3.00 " " " 2.25
2.25 and 2.50 " " 1.75
2.00 " " " 1.50
1.50 " " " 1.10
1.00 " " " .85
.50 " " " .40

Also Boys and Children's Clothing Just as Cheap.

Men's Underwear.

50c Underwear 40c
25c Underwear 20c

Ties.

50 cent Ties Go at 35 cents
25 cent Ties Go at 20 cents

Druggets.

\$14.00 Druggets \$11.00
12.00 Druggets 8.75
Big Lot of Matting Cheap for Cash.

To Clean Up Our Lawns

25 cent Lawn 18 cents
20 cent " 14 cents
15 cent " 10 cents
8, 10 and 12c " 5 cents

Dress Goods.

10c Suiting .08c
10c and 12c Gingham .08c
25c Suitings .19c
20c Suitings .15c
25c Linen .20c
10c Peal .08c

Table Damask.

50c and 60c Table Damask .42c
40c " " .30c
35c " " .25c
25c " " .19c
50 and 60c Towels .45c

5c, 6c and 7c Hamburg 4 cents
10c and 12c Hamburg 10 cents

Dress Goods Cheap For Cash

A Few Low Cut Shoes Left.

\$3.00 Ladies Low Shoes \$2.25
2.50 " " " 1.99
2.00 " " " 1.60
1.75 " " " 1.25
1.50 " " " 1.10

Low cuts for Men.

\$4.00 and \$5.00 Low Cuts \$3.00
3.50 " " " 2.75
2.75 and 3.00 " " 1.90
2.00 and 2.25 " " 1.60

We have Good Shoes for Fall and Winter. Buy the Best. The Brown.

25c Sox Go at two pair for 25 cents.
\$1.00 Shirt Go at \$0.75
.75 " " " .55
.25c & 30c Shirts Go at .19

Straw Hats

25c and 50c Go at 15c

REEMEMBER THE DATE

Don't Take My Word For This But Come And
SEE FOR YOURSELF

THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS : HENRY STONE : MARION, KENTUCKY

THE NATIONAL MONTHLY MAKES

Creditable Mention of Mrs. Ollie M. James, wife of Our Distinguished Congressman.

In the September number of the National Monthly, under the head of "Women of the Democracy at Washington," appears the picture of Mrs. Ollie M. James. After speaking in high compliment of Mrs. Jos. W. Bailey, wife of Senator Bailey, of Texas, pays the following high compliment to the wife of our loved Congressman of the proud Old First District:

"The Lone Star State, however, has a long way to go if it means to wrest the palm from Kentucky when it comes to a question of beautiful and fascinating women. Kentucky has grown up with the idea in mind that its horses and its women—not to mention another celebrated product—are the finest in the world. An Kentucky rarely goes away in its judgment of any one of the three. So Mrs. Ollie James, wife of Representative James of the First District of the 'blue grass' State, may easily account for her popularity among the members of the Congressional contingent in Washington.

Mrs. James has been an official hostess nearly six years, which period covers her married life. She is one of the most fascinating women in public life and thoroughly enjoys the Congressional seasons in Washington. Before her marriage to Mr. James, Mrs. James was Miss Ruth Thomas of Marion, one of the best cross country riders in the state famed for its horsewomen. She dearly loves everything that takes one outdoors and sweeps victory her way on the tennis courts or golf links any time her fancy dictates. In the past few years Mrs. James has ridden but little because of ill health but she is a fine judge of horses and of women—two traits Kentucky never fails to give as a dowry to its sons and daughters.

When Mrs. James was just six years old her father, who was a prominent Methodist minister, was

called to another town. Mr. James, who at that time, had no idea that one day he would be a power for his party in the national legislature, hardly knew the mite of a little girl who was afterwards to be his wife. His sister and the elder sister of little Ruth Thomas were close friends. So when after many years had gone by Ruth Thomas returned to live at Marion, her former home, her sister renewed her friendship with the James family one day in a railroad station when Mr. James was about to leave town on a political mission. The elder Miss Thomas presented Mr. James to her younger sister and the first seeds of a friendship which was to lead to a more serious affection were sown. Mrs. James received the greater part of her education at the West Kentucky College. She is full of life, talks with fascinating animation, has fine features and a keen sense of humor. She is exceedingly fond of reading and, like all other women, of her husband's party politics, is well informed on all subjects of importance, whether political or otherwise. Mrs. James joined Mr. James in Washington the day the special session of Congress adjourned and after visiting New York and Atlantic City, will return to their home in Marion about the first week in September.

A Great Meeting of The Baptist at Walnut Grove.

The Ohio River Association met with Walnut Grove Baptist church, Aug. 18th, 19th, and 20th. The introductory sermon was preached by Eld. W. C. Pierce from the communion as found in Mark 28:18 and ably presenting it in its Breadth of Authority, Breadth of Command and Breadth of Promise. The reading of the reports from the churches and enrolling the members occupied the remaining part of the forenoon.

The reports show a gratifying progress along all the lines of church work. The membership increased over last year 268 and the contributions about \$300 00, while peace and harmony prevail among the churches generally. Much Missionary enthusiasm was awakened by the stirring addresses of visitors and members and one young man expressed a call to missionary work abroad.

The reports and discussion on

temperance demand State-wide prohibition and rigid enforcement of present local option laws.

The Association was delighted to have as visitors the following brethren:—Dr. H. B. Taylor, of the State Board of Missions; Dr. Maddox, of the Minister's Aid Society; Dr. J. C. Midyett, of the Ohio Valley College at Sturgis; Dr. C. W. Knight, pastor at Morgantown; Dr. W. D. Howell, of the Cyclone Secretary of State Missions; and Dr. J. A. Be net, representing the Western Recorder.

Walnut Grove church and community are an ideal place and people for an Association and abundantly provided for the comfort and pleasure of all that attended.

The pastors and messengers return to their churches with renewed zeal and purpose to extend the kingdom of our Lord and his Christ.

The meeting next year will be with Crooked Creek church near Marion. A Sunday School union was planned and committee appointed to arrange for meeting fifth Sunday in October.

R. A. L.

Conference at Lexington for Discussion of Tuberculosis. The joint Committee from the va-

rious Anti-Tuberculosis Association in the State which have been engaged for the past few weeks in perfecting plans for the organization of a State Association, has announced that all preparatory arrangements have been made and a conference between representatives from each county in the State will be held late in September, at which definite action will be taken.

Two Minor conferences have already been held between officers of the six Associations which have already been organized, and the September meeting was arranged in order that the needs of the State might be considered, from the view point of the citizens of every city and county. The proposed meeting will be held in Lexington and a very interesting and instructive program has been arranged, it is said, which will cover a period of two days. Some of the best known specialists of the county will be invited and the number of spirited laymen, as well as medical men, who have signified their intention of attending, has already insured a most interesting convention.

Say! Mr. farmer when in town come around. HUBBARD.

WOMEN AS TEACHERS--AND WHY NOT?

Men are Useful as Teachers, to be True, but Women, all Things Considered Accomplish More

Every year the percentage of female teachers employed in the common schools in Daviess county increases while the percentage of males correspondingly declines. What is true in Daviess is true in every county in Kentucky and what is true in Kentucky is true in every state in the union. Various causes are assigned for this change in the ratio of teachers as regards sex. Some contend that the salaries paid teachers are so low that they have failed to attract the men who qualified themselves for the teacher's vocation, and they have sought other pursuits in which the returns for their services are more remunerative. This is no doubt true in many instances, because the teachers of Kentucky have been a poorly paid class. The man with education sufficient to teach in the schools has accomplished enough to better his financial condition in other fields, therefore he abandoned school work and left the training of the children of the country to the women.

Woman has so well proved her fitness for the training of youth that most of the states have ceased to limit her usefulness along that line to the schoolroom, but have made her eligible to the office of county school superintendent. Some states have even made her eligible to the office of state superintendent of public instruction, and in most states she is allowed to serve on the board of education and county boards of examiners.

Recently Mrs. Ella F. Young, aged 62, an experienced teacher, was chosen superintendent of the Chicago schools. The place not only has control of Chicago's great school system and the several hundred thousand children which attend them, but will draw the salary of \$10,000 a year. The selection of Mrs. Young to the place she is to fill is causing much com-

ment and the larger part of it too is more favorable than otherwise.

One of the best editorials we have read on the subject of woman's great value in the education of children of the land was printed in the Memphis Commercial Appeal. The following are paragraphs from the editorial mention:

Why shouldn't a woman be superintendent of schools? Why shouldn't a woman be on the board of education?

Nine-tenths of the public school teachers in Memphis are women. Nine-tenths of the training the child gets in the home is from the mother. The school would merely be the complement of the home.

Men are useful as teachers, to be true, but women, all things considered, accomplish more than men do.

In some cities there is a disposition to prevent married women from teaching in the schools.

A married woman who has reared half a dozen children is better fitted as a teacher than if she had no children.

A Fine Apple.

S. S. Gass, of near Marion, was exhibiting a fine apple Wednesday from one of his young trees, that measured fifteen inches in diameter and weighed twenty-two ounces. The apple was a beautiful one and said to be a fine keeper and of splendid flavor.

Is An Old "Red" SHN.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 22.—A real unconstructed rebel was discovered today. He is Col. G. N. Saussey, of Sylvester. Gov. Brown recently named Saussey Colonel on the governor's staff and the adjutant general mailed the old soldier his commission together with the oath of allegiance to Georgia and the United States. Col. Saussey erased the word "blue" wherever it appeared in the regulations for the uniform and substituted the word "gray." Then he erased the oath to the United States constitution entirely and wrote:

"I am a Confederate soldier, still on parole, and while pledged not to again bear arms against the United States, I have never taken the oath of allegiance and while God gives me life, I never will."

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